GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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PENSION SCHEME FOR EMPLOYEES OF PUNJAB UNIVERSITY
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is no pension scheme in operation for the employees of Punjab University;

(b) if so, the reasons therefore,

(c) the names of the universities which have pension scheme in force;

(d) whether one such scheme was prepared and notified in 1993 and later another scheme prepared by the university in 1999; and

(e) if not, the reasons for not implementing the former scheme and delay in notifying the second scheme?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (PROF. RITA VERMA)

(a) Yes Sir.

(b) The revised Pension scheme proposed by Panjab University is under examination of the Government.

(c) As informed by UGC, a list of Central Universities having pension scheme is annexed.

(d) & (e) The Panjab University had earlier formulateda Pension scheme in 1991, which was notified in 1993, but the same could not be implemented as no cut off date was provided in the scheme as a result of which a large number of persons who retired long time back had also opted to join the scheme, making it economically unviable. Subsequently, a revised Pension Scheme was prepared by Panjab University in 1999 in supersession of the earlier Scheme, which is proposed to be applicable to those who will retire on or after 31.3.1998. The revised proposed Scheme is presently under examination of the Government.

Annexure

LIST OF CENTRAL UNIVERSITIES WHICH ARE HAVING PENSION SCHEMES

1. Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh

2. Assam University, Silchar

3. Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Lucknow.

4. Banaras Hindu University,Varanasi.

5. University of Delhi, Delhi.
6. University of Hyderabad, hyderabad.

7 Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi.

8. Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi.

9. Nagaland University, Kohima.
10. North Eastern Hill University, Shillong.
11. Pondicherry University, Pondicherry.
12. Tezpur University, Tezpur.
13. Visva Bharati, Santiniketan.

14. Mahatama Gandhi Antarrashtriya Hindi Vishwavidayala, New Delhi.
15. Maulana Azad National Urdu University, Hyderabad.
16. Mizoram University, Aizwal.